IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hajime KANDO

Application No.: 10/597,115

Confirmation No.: 6370

Filing or 371(c) Date: July 12, 2006

Title: BOUNDARY ACOUSTIC WAVE

DEVICE

Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: T. Dougherty

RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Election Requirement issued on August 10, 2007, Applicant elects Specie 3, including claims 15-18 for prosecution in the present application. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant hereby reserves the right to file a Divisional Application to pursue prosecution of the non-elected Species.

Applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance.

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Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the present application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 24, 2007

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